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Notice of Draft Groundwater Withdrawal Permit – Bryan County Board of Commissioners – February 7, 2022

The Georgia Environmental Protection Division (EPD) announces its intent to issue a Modified Groundwater Withdrawal Permit No. 015-0007 for water withdrawal of 1.600 MGD/ 1.600 MGD (Monthly Average/Annual Average in million gallons per day) from ten well(s) in the Upper Floridan aquifer for the purpose of a central water supply. The modification will increase the number of wells from nine wells to ten wells. The current permit limits and permit limit reduction schedule will remain unchanged.

MODIFIED GROUNDWATER WITHDRAWAL PERMIT

Permittee's Name: Bryan County Board of Commissioners

Permittee's Address: Richmond Hill, GA 31324

River Basin: Ogeechee

Comment Period Expires: March 7, 2022

Additional Information: The draft permit and all information used to develop the draft permit are available for review. The information includes the application and all relevant supporting materials available to the permitting authority used in the permit review process. This information is available for review at the office of the Watershed Protection Branch, 2 Martin Luther King Jr. Dr., S.E., East Floyd Towers, Suite 1152, Atlanta, Georgia 30334. All comments received prior to or on the comment period expiration date above will be considered in the formulation of final determinations regarding the permit.

Persons wishing to comment on the draft Permit are required to submit their comments, in writing, to:

Bill Frechette, Unit Manager
Water Supply Program – **Groundwater Withdrawal Unit**
2 Martin Luther King Jr. Dr., S.E.
East Floyd Towers, Suite 1362
Atlanta, Georgia 30334

A public hearing may be held if the Director of the EPD finds a significant degree of public interest in a draft permit.